MONTANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TRANSPORTATION/CENTRALIZED SERVICES DIVISION AGENDA NO. 04-08-24

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For Work Week Commencing: August 23, 2004 Commission Meeting: August 24, 2004, 9:00 a.m.

General Introduction This agenda is the Commission's Transportation and Centralized Services Division agenda for the work week designated. In the later part of each week (generally, Thursday by 2:00 p.m.) prior to the work week to which an agenda pertains, the agenda is posted on the public information bulletin board at the Commission offices, deposited in the mail directed to all persons who have properly requested notice by mail, emailed to all persons who have properly requested notice by email, and posted to the Public Service Commission's worldwide web site located at http://www.psc.state.mt.us.

<u>Place of Meetings</u> All meetings are held at the Commission offices, 1701 Prospect Avenue, Helena, Montana, unless otherwise noted.

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<u>9:00 a.m. Weekly Scheduling</u> (Commission Conference Room)

9:30 a.m. Business (Bollinger Room)

Public Comments

<u>Work Sessions</u> All items identified below are for Commission discussion or action on the day designated.

1. T-00.4.COM –Schedule Oral Argument on Exceptions to Hearing Examiners Proposed Order. (8/24)

<u>Action Items</u> All items identified below are for action at the Commission business meeting.

1. T-04.48.PCN (Wayne)

On July 20, 2004 Lewis & Clark Transit System LLC, White Sulphur Springs, Montana filed an applied for a certificate public convenience and necessity. The application was noticed to the public on August 2, 2004 and no protests have been received.

Class B – Passengers between all points and places in White Sulphur Springs, Montana and a 175 mile radius. LIMITATION: Transportation must originate or terminate in Meagher County, Wheatland County, Clyde Park, Montana or Wilsall, Montana.

ACTION:

2. TN2230 (Wayne)

David G. Conklin dba CSI Tours, Kalispell, Montana requests permission to suspend PSC No. 9444 for a six month period, September 2, 2004 to March 2, 2005.

Class B -- Passengers in tour service between all points and places in Flathead, Glacier, Lake, and Lincoln Counties, Montana. Limitations: (1) transportation with less than 24 hours advance reservation is prohibited; (2) transportation must be of a passenger or group to passengers (two or more) joining, with common purpose and destination, a charter tour provided by the carrier (individual members of the group may have separate origination points and separate fares); (3) transportation in limousine service is prohibited; (4) transportation in taxi service is prohibited.

ACTION:

3. Approval of Commission Minutes

(Wayne)

Approval of the Commission Minutes for the week of August 16, 2004.

ACTION: